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SUBJECT: Cancellation of Travel Warning - Syria

11. The Travel Warning issued for Syria on February 12, 2009, is hereby rescinded. The Department of State deems the security situation in Syria no longer merits a Travel Warning.

12. Review of the security situation in Syria is ongoing, and the Department can disseminate a new Travel Warning as circumstances warrant.

13. U.S. citizens living or traveling in Syria are encouraged to register with the nearest U.S. embassy or consulate at the Department of State's travel registration page in order to obtain updated information on local travel and security. U.S. citizens without Internet access may register directly with the nearest U.S. embassy or consulate. Registration is important; it allows the State Department to assist U.S. citizens in an emergency.

14. The U.S. Embassy in Damascus can be reached at 963-11-3391-4444, including for after-hours emergencies; the fax number is 963-11-3391-3999. The Embassy's web site, which includes consular information and the most recent messages to the American community in Damascus, is at <http://damascus.usembassy.gov>.

15. For the latest security information, Americans living and traveling abroad should regularly monitor the Department of State's Bureau of Consular Affairs Internet website at <http://travel.state.gov>, where the current Worldwide Caution, Travel Warnings, Travel Alerts as well as the Country Specific Information for Syria can be found. Up-to-date information on security can also be obtained by calling 1-888-407-4747 toll-free in the United States and Canada or, for callers outside the United States and Canada, a regular toll line at 1-202-501-4444. These numbers are available from 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. Eastern Time, Monday through Friday (except U.S. federal holidays).

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